For Parents!

I Will Follow Instructions!

From Port Of Call Jr.
Lesson 2

LEADERSHIP TRAIT - OBEDIENCE
Great leaders do what they are told to do in the way they are told to do it.

LEADERSHIP LESSON
Your children will learn that they should follow the instructions they are given.

LEADERSHIP STORY
God's Instructions to Noah - Genesis 6:11-22

WHAT DO I DO?
Have your children watch the Leadership Video, *I Will Follow Instructions.*

You can stream the video directly from the "My Downloads" folder on ElevateAtHome.com, or you can download the video to your computer or another device.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES FOR THIS LESSON
- Have your children color the Coloring Sheets.
- Ask your children the Leadership Questions.
- Read the Leadership Story, found in Genesis 6:11-22, to your children.
- Do the Optional Family Activity.

OPTIONAL FAMILY ACTIVITY: I DIDN'T FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS COOKIES

To help your children see the importance of following instructions, make some cookies with them. When you make the cookies substitute wrong ingredients for the right ones. For example use sand instead of flour, pebbles instead of chocolate chips, and dirty water instead of milk.

Once you have mixed up the cookie dough, ask the children if they think the cookies made with pebbles, dirty water, and sand would taste good. Remind them that when we don't follow instructions the way they are given to us, things will not go as well.

Wrap up the activity by making cookies by following the correct instructions. Pray and thank God for His instructions in your lives and then enjoy those cookies!

MEMORY VERSE:

Help your children memorize this verse.
"You must be careful to obey all the commands of the LORD your God, following his instructions in every detail."

Deuteronomy 5:32b (NLT)

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Main Point: I Will Follow Instructions!

Materials Needed:

- The Leadership Video - *I Will Follow Instructions*
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Child Leadership Questions:

1. What were Aunt Jesse's instructions to Shelby and Sydney about the big, orange button?
   (Don't push the button unless someone falls overboard.)

2. What did Shelby and Sydney do after Aunt Jesse gave them instructions about the button?
   (They pressed the button.)

3. Aunt Jesse gave instructions to Shelby and Sydney, and God gave instructions to Noah. What were God's instructions to Noah?
   (Build a large boat to keep Noah's family safe from the flood. Put two of every kind of animal on the boat.)

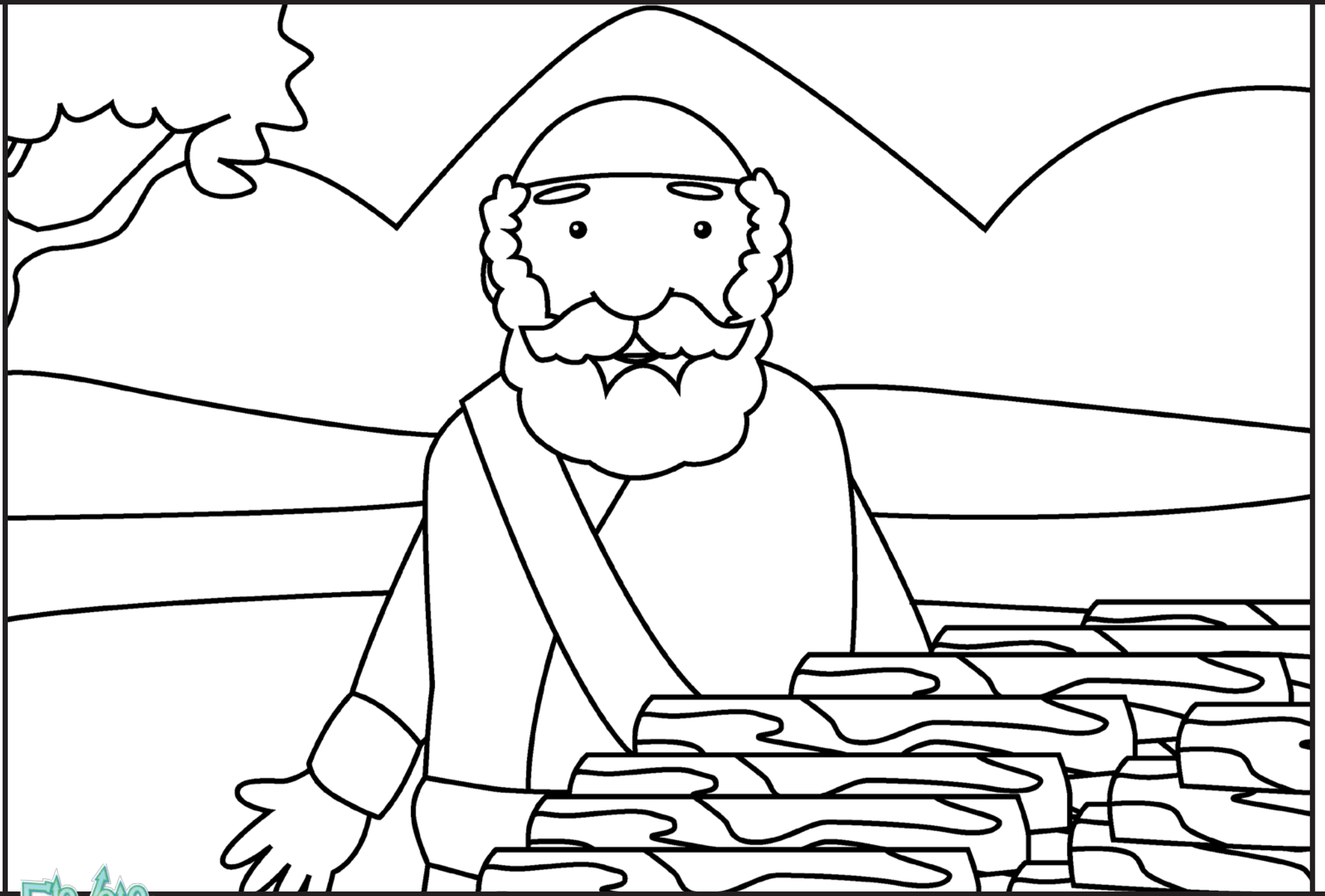
4. Did Noah follow all of God's instructions?
   (Yes.)

5. Just like Noah followed God's instructions, we can also followed instructions. What are some ways that you can follow instructions every day?
   (Do your chores when your parents ask you to. Do what the Bible says. Follow the instructions that your teacher at school gives you.)

Noah knew that it was important to follow God's instructions. He built the boat that saved both his family and the animals. We can be like Noah in the Leadership Story and follow God's instructions, too. We can follow God's instructions by doing what our parents and teachers ask us to do and by obeying God's instructions in the Bible.

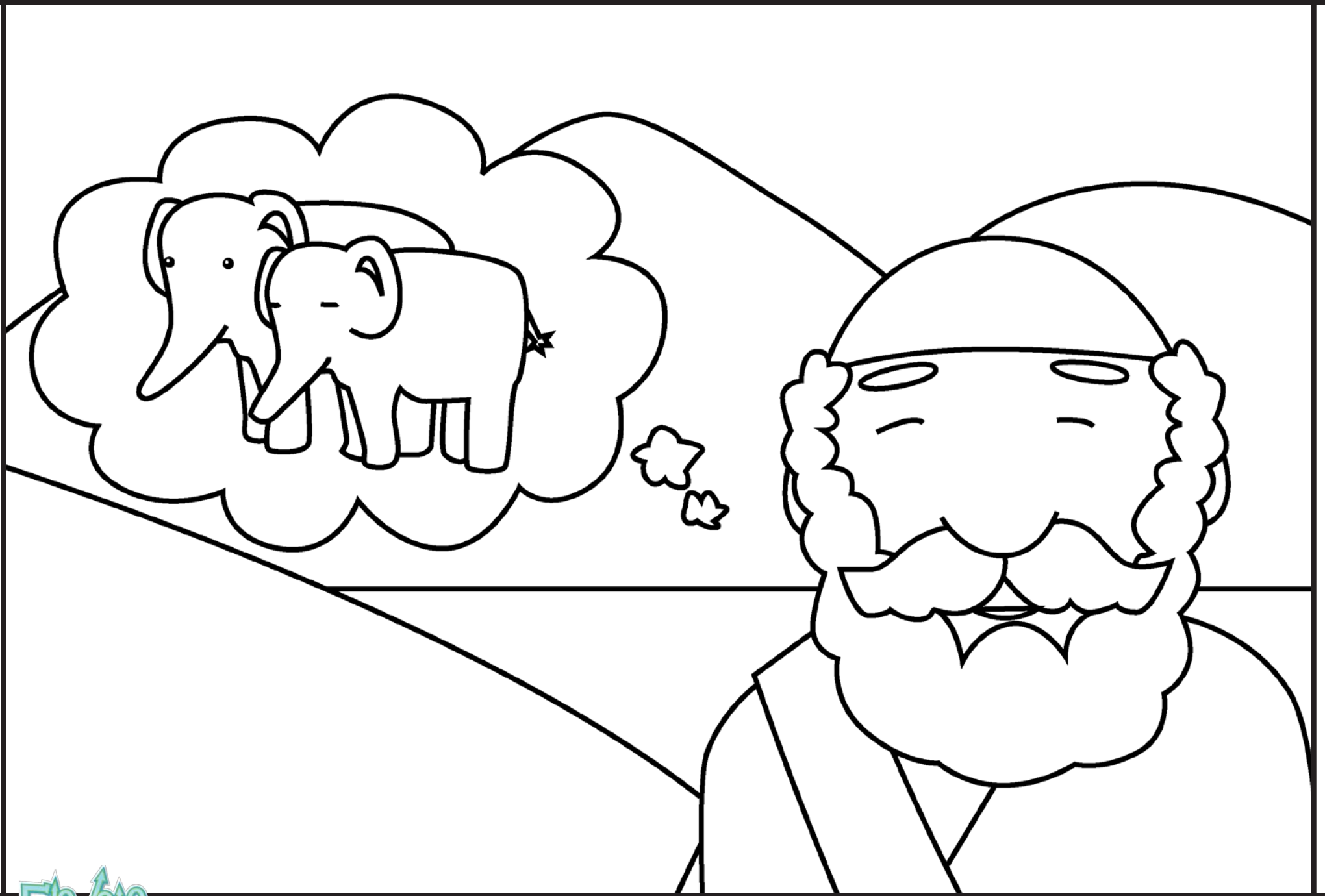
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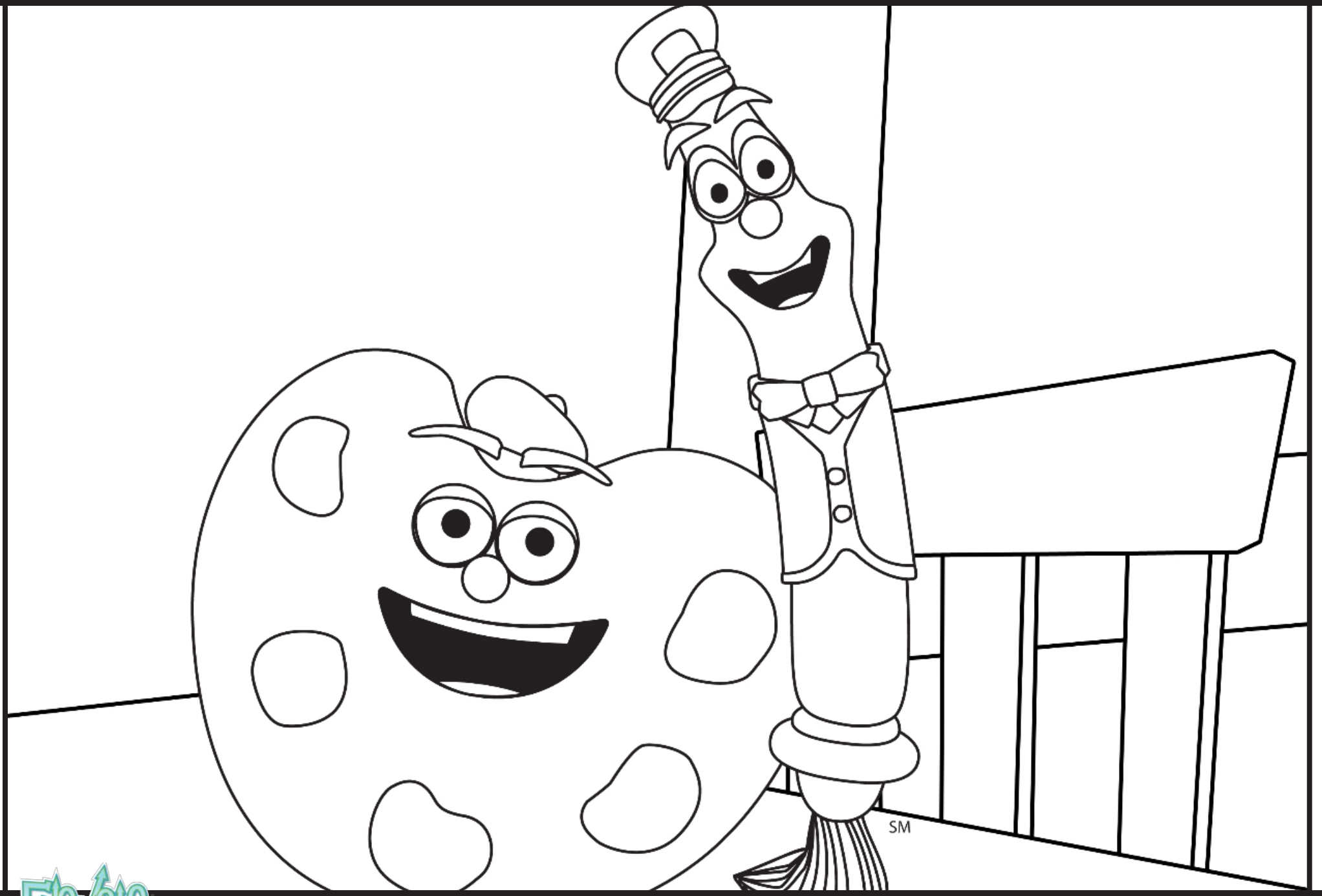
God told Noah to build a boat. (Genesis 6:11-22)

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God also told Noah to bring two of every animal on the boat. (Genesis 6:11-22)

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